

## Descriptive adjectives

**1** Look at the picture. Find a girl, a boy, a woman, a man, a dog and a house.



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|-------------------|--------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
| a young woman     | <input type="checkbox"/> | a small house | <input type="checkbox"/> | a strong man     | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| an old woman      | <input type="checkbox"/> | a big house   | <input type="checkbox"/> | a weak man       | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| a bad dog         | <input type="checkbox"/> | a happy girl  | <input type="checkbox"/> | a little brother | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| a good / nice dog | <input type="checkbox"/> | a sad girl    | <input type="checkbox"/> | a big brother    | <input type="checkbox"/> |

# Families in fiction

## QUIZ

Who are these characters? Have they got big or small families?

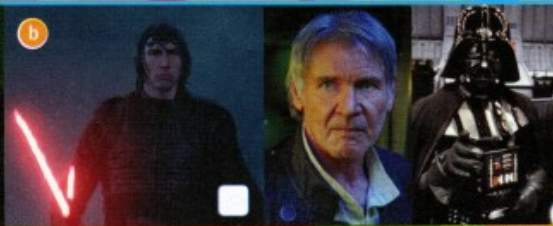


First, he's bad. Then, he's good. His father is strong and good. His grandfather is strong and bad. His father's name is Han Solo. His grandfather's name is Darth Vader. Who is he?

1

She's 14 years old. He's 10 years old. They've got a big family. Their parents are Bob and Helen. Their father isn't a weak man. They've got a little brother. Who are they?

3



They are sisters. They've got a big family but they haven't got a brother. They are at home with their mother. Their father is away at war. He's a good man.

2

He's got an aunt and an uncle. He hasn't got a brother or a sister. His parents are dead. He's got special powers. He's got a bad enemy, Voldemort. Who is he?

4



4 Read for details > Write *T* (True) or *F* (False).

- 1 Kylo Ren's father is good but weak.
- 2 Kylo Ren's grandfather is strong and bad.
- 3 Jo, Meg, Amy and Beth have got a brother.
- 4 Harry's brothers and sisters are dead.
- 5 Dash has got a sister and a brother.
- 6 Violet's father is a strong man.

5 Answer.

- 1 Which is your favourite film from the quiz?
- 2 Is your family big or small?



# A family of stars!

Miley Cyrus is an American singer. But she isn't the only star in her family!



In this photo, Miley is with her father, Billy Ray Cyrus. He is a singer too.

This is a photo of Miley and her mother, Tish Cyrus. Tish is famous too. She is Miley's manager. She has got five children – three daughters and two sons.



Miley has got a lot of brothers and sisters. This is a photo of Braison, Noah, Billy Ray, Tish and Brandi. They are all stars! Braison is Miley's brother and Noah is Miley's sister. Brandi is Miley's half sister.



This is Miley with her half brother, Trace. He is famous too.

## 2 Read > Answer.

- 1 Who is Billy Ray Cyrus?
- 2 Who has got five children?
- 3 Who is Braison?
- 4 Who is Noah?
- 5 Who is Brandi?
- 6 Who is Trace?

He's Miley's...(family member)

She's Miley's...(family member)

# A description of a family

## 1 Read Nick's description.

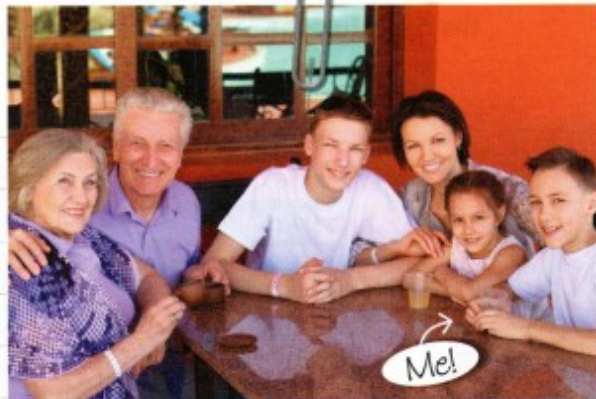
Hi! My name is Nick and these are photos of my family. I've got a big family.

My mum's name is Grace. She's 42. I've got a sister. Her name is Joanna and she's 6. I've got a big brother. He's strong. His name is Axel and he's 16.

My grandfather is 66 and my grandmother is 64. Their names are Bill and Susan. They're very nice!

I've got an aunt and an uncle. Their names are Hilary and Will. They're young. Hilary is 26 and Will is 25. They've got a pet. It's a big brown and white dog. Its name is Rex.

Nick



Write it right!

Tips for writing a description

→ For descriptions, use *be* + adjective:

*It's small.*

→ Use **a / an** + adjective + noun:

*I've got a small dog.*

→ Use **and** to join words and sentences.

*Their names are Claire and Tommy.*

*My dad is 41 and my mum is 40.*



# Someone's family

Who are they?

Where are they from?

What do they do?

## Writing task

**Plan** > Write a list of family members for your description.

**Write** > Write the description of your family.  
Remember to use:

- adjectives.
- *and* to join words or sentences.
- possessive adjectives.
- possessive 's.

**Check** > Check your writing.

